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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Management Staff

SUBJECT : Manpower Survey 1956

REFERENCE : (a) My memo, 5 December 1955, same subject
(b) Your request on form 30-4, 9 August 1956

1. The examination of functions of common concern not covered by NSCID's and DCID's has resulted in the following conclusions:

a. The production of economic defense intelligence need no longer be regarded as a priority requirement.

b. The compilation of files of unevaluated information on non-Sino-Soviet bloc countries was regarded as a luxury which could not be afforded.

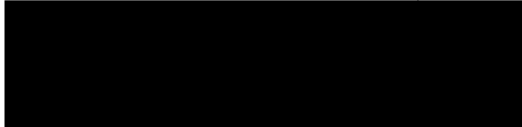
2. A single series of current intelligence publications with CIA as coordinator is not considered feasible nor necessarily desirable after detailed examination of the problem. Departmental current intelligence is geared to the special requirements of the pertinent department. Unless a decision is made to have National Current Intelligence Estimates or Surveys, I do not believe that agreement could be reached by negotiation and persuasion to unify current intelligence efforts.

3. Maintenance of a central registry on International Conferences has been established in OCR.

4. With respect to economic reporting problems raised by the DD/P and their relationship to ORR economic reporting, I should like to call attention to the fact that DD/P was talking about primary reporting in the field. ORR produces finished economic intelligence as its only form of "economic reporting." There is, therefore, no relationship between the two efforts.

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5. I am attaching a summary of the reduction in manpower effected in the DD/I area since August 1956.



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